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MERCURY TAKES QUITE A TUMBLE DURING COLD SPELL LAST NIGHT

For the first time on record during the history of Tonopah, the thermometer last night dropped down to the zero point. The temperature was noticed on a downtown thermometer when at the same time the register at the United States weather bureau announced the fact that the temperature was 16 degrees above zero. The difference is accounted for by the fact that the instrument at the weather bureau is sheltered.

Fears are entertained for the belated prospectors in the outlying districts, as many are known to be unprepared for the intense cold. While the weather report for today predicts snow, this will probably prove wrong, for according to the old-timers the snow will not fall when the weather is so cold.

WILL FURNISH MUSIC TO MONTANA PATRONS

Between the hours of 6 and 8 o'clock tonight, Professors Voss and Tatro will entertain the diners at the Montana cafe with selections from their extensive repertoire. This innovation is the idea of Julius Smith, one of the proprietors of the cafe, and will undoubtedly prove an attractive feature. There is nothing more enjoyable than dining amid the strains of a first-class orchestra, and it is probable that the musical team will be a permanent part in the Sunday evening program at the Montana.

Special line of delicacies at the City Bakery. 5tf

TAXES WILL BECOME DELINQUENT MONDAY

Monday will be the last day before taxes become delinquent and it behooves the owners of realty to hurry and make their payments before they are assessed an additional sum. For the last week County Treasurer Frank P. Mannix and his assistants have been kept on the go in writing out receipts for the nearly delinquent property owners, and it is safe to say that the rush Monday will nearly be a record breaker.



MISS M. HOFFMAN, AT THE BUTLER

A good change is on at the Butler for this week. Besides the pictures, McDermott and Gerald are making a great hit, and they keep the crowd laughing from beginning to end. With tonight's performance their engagement ends as a team for at their next appearance they will present single specialties.

For next week the management has secured Tom Hurley, a very fine comedian, who will be assisted

on the piano by Miss Hoffman, a pleasing singer and pianist. The music loving people of Tonopah are promised a treat in Miss Hoffman's visit. She has a well trained voice and is a beautiful singer. No one should fail to hear her. Her engagement here is only for one week. There will be the usual matinee at 2 o'clock today, when McDermott and Gerald will appear at the second show.

MAKE TRIP TO LOOK AT BIG BLAIR MINE

President William Flinn of the Pittsburg Silver Peak Gold Mining company of Blair, arrived in Reno last night en route from Pittsburg to Blair to inspect the properties of the company, which are now in litigation, and which are said to be among the richest properties in the world.

President Flinn was met here by F. L. Voorhes, cashier of the com-

pany, and Edmund Juessen, the general manager, and will go from here to Blair today.

Today they spent some time in consultation with Congressman Bartlett and Attorney L. A. Gibbons, who are attorneys for the Pittsburg Silver Peak company.

There will be a hearing for a new trial in the case of R. A. Gamble and F. S. Chadbourne against L. J. Hanchett, DeWitt Clinton Blair, in his own right and as administrator with the will annexed of the estate of John L. Blair, deceased; Pittsburg Silver Peak Gold Mining company, and the Silver Peak Mines company.

The Pittsburg Silver Peak Gold Mining company is interested in this suit as it is the properties of

SANTA CLAUS IS A REAL SAINT TO CHILDREN

Santa Claus is a real saint to the children. He is their good angel; he brings them marvelous gifts; he never has a bargain sale of remnants, and his stock never runs out. They see his picture with his sleigh and reindeer teams, in fancy they hear his bells and they never question the statement that his is a magical sleigh that runs just as well on a housetop as in the best beaten path.

Still the truth is Santa Claus is an old pagan. We do not know at what time he first had a habitation and name, but sure it is he first came down from the north, else he could not have had either reindeer or sleigh. We do not know whether his is of old Norse or Teutonic stock, for they both had early habitations around the Baltic, and for both of them Odin, or Woden, was the chief among the gods and Thor was his opponent. And those Northerners had a multitude of other gods and goddesses, to each of which some especial excellence was attached, and they were prayed to, and feast days were dedicated to them. It was from that source that the mistletoe received its significance, for it was with a sprig of mistletoe that Baldr was shot, which only meant that Baldr, the sun, was practically put out of business during the winter months. All were typical of some phase of nature or of human life. Thus the story of Sigmund. He could only win the nymph of his heart by riding through the fire to her, and he did not hesitate at all, any more than would a bishop who wanted a second wife. There were gods on watch, gods of the chase, of the seasons, of the torrents, of the planting time and the reaping time, of the home; indeed, the Norsemen had more gods than any other race, to them all special virtues attached, special offerings were rendered. And out of these offerings and the pictures, drawn of the beneficence of these several deities, Santa Claus finally took form as the special providence of telling children about the

this company which are involved, but President Flinn and the other officers will in all probability not remain here for the hearing.

Some time ago, indictments were returned against certain members of the Pittsburg Silver Peak Gold Mining company, but the indictments, it is claimed, were worthless and will be dismissed, and it is further claimed that they were brought against the company's officials without any just reason.—Reno Gazette.

harvest time. But he was an old pagan just the same, which only proves that good can come to us from unholliness.—Goodwin's Weekly.

THEY DIDN'T KNOW TOM WAS MARRIED

Mrs. Thomas Munn arrived in Tonopah Friday to join her husband, who is chief mixologist at the Nevada Club. The arrival of Mrs. Munn was the first announcement of the wedding, which was performed last August in Sacramento. General Tom has been receiving the congratulations of his friends for the past two days.

NEW PIONEER MINING COMPANY IS FORMED

Articles of incorporation were yesterday filed by the Pioneer Yellow Jacket Mining company. The principal office is named at Pioneer. The company has a capitalization of \$1,000,000, with a like number of shares at a par value of \$1 per share. Joseph D. O'Brien, B. T. Godfrey and John F. Berkey, all of Pioneer, are the incorporators.

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Trains	LOCAL	Trains
No. 7	(Pacific Time)	No. 2
4:40 p. m. Lv	Goldfield	Ar 9:30 a. m.
5:02 p. m. Lv	Klondyke	Ar 9:05 a. m.
5:24 p. m. Lv	McSweeney	Ar 8:45 a. m.
6:00 p. m. Lv	Tonopah	Ar 8:20 a. m.
THROUGH		
No. 23	Goldfield	No. 24
7:30 a. m. Lv	Goldfield	Ar 1:15 p. m.
7:52 a. m. Lv	Klondyke	Ar 12:41 p. m.
8:17 a. m. Lv	McSweeney	Ar 12:24 p. m.
8:51 a. m. Lv	Tonopah	Ar 11:55 a. m.
9:30 a. m. Lv	McSweeney	Ar 10:50 a. m.
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10:15 a. m. Lv	Blair Junction	Ar 10:15 a. m.
11:15 a. m. Lv	Blair	Ar 9:00 a. m.
10:52 a. m. Lv	Coaldale	Ar 9:51 a. m.
10:52 a. m. Lv	Rock Hill	Ar 9:35 a. m.
11:18 a. m. Lv	Redlich	Ar 9:25 a. m.
11:35 a. m. Lv	Tonopah Jet.	Ar 8:52 a. m.
1:02 p. m. Ar	*Mina	Ar 8:05 a. m.
6:55 p. m. Ar	*Hazen	Ar 3:30 a. m.
7:45 p. m. Ar	*Reno	Ar 12:50 a. m.
8:55 p. m. Ar	*Truckee	Ar 10:55 p. m.
9:20 a. m. Ar	*Roseville	Ar 3:50 p. m.
4:05 a. m. Ar	*Sacramento	Ar 3:10 p. m.
7:11 a. m. Ar	*Oakland	Ar 11:52 a. m.
7:48 a. m. Ar	*San Francisco	Ar 11:20 a. m.
2:10 p. m. Ar	*Ogden	Ar 6:40 a. m.
3:35 p. m. Ar	*Salt Lake	Ar 11:30 p. m.
*Mountain time.		

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